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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS
FOR DECODING PICTURE
SIGNAL AT VARIABLE
PICTURE RATE

Art Unit:

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STATUS INQUIRY

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the undersigned be informed of the current status of the above-identified application inasmuch as it has been almost three years since the application was filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

Respectfully submitted,

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